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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7709**

**BILL NUMBER: HB 1511**

**DATE PREPARED:** May 2, 2001

**BILL AMENDED:** Apr 29, 2001

**SUBJECT:** Rehabilitation Service Contracts

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**FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** (CCR Amended) This bill requires the Rehabilitation Services Bureau of the Division of Disability, Aging, and Rehabilitative Services, when contracting for job development, placement, or retention services, to contract with an organization or individual accredited by an independent national accreditation organization.

**Effective Date:** (CCR Amended) July 1, 2003.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** (Revised) The Rehabilitation Services Bureau currently requires organizations with which it contracts to be accredited, or in the process of becoming accredited, by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF). Although this provision would not affect state expenditures, it would allow contractors to be accredited by other accrediting bodies which would eliminate some multiple accreditation fees paid by agencies wishing to do business with the Bureau.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

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**State Agencies Affected:** Division of Disability , Aging and Rehabilitative Services, Rehabilitation Services Bureau.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:** Family and Social Services Administration.